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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	n.a.	n.a.	253	275	232
Unemployment rate	%	n.a.	n.a.	7.7	8.5	6.6
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	867	985	743	793	-
Taxable individuals	no.	3 543	4 026	2 745	3 103	-
Taxable income	$m	191.2	231.3	157.7	181.8	-
Average taxable income	$	53 976	57 460	57 438	58 595	-
Net tax	$m	59.2	73.6	49.2	56.4	-
Average net tax	$	16 713	18 271	17 906	18 163	-
Average net tax ratio	%	31.0	31.8	31.2	31.0	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	3 210	3 653	2 595	2 979	-
Wage and salary income	$m	131.3	155.5	106.4	122.0	-
Total income	$m	138.7	163.9	112.8	128.6	-
Average wage and salary income	$	40 910	42 560	41 016	40 966	-
Average total income	$	43 203	44 871	43 456	43 181	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	372	443	325	375	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	685	820	626	767	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	302	327	218	236	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	230	241	141	144	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	130	132	102	105	-
Males - Total	no.	1 719	1 963	1 412	1 627	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	469	502	391	457	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	596	700	492	568	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	188	224	136	164	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	170	188	112	110	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	68	76	53	54	-
Females - Total	no.	1 491	1 690	1 184	1 353	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	841	945	716	832	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 281	1 520	1 118	1 335	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	490	551	354	400	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	400	429	253	254	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	198	208	155	159	-
Persons - Total	no.	3 210	3 653	2 596	2 980	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	561	324	320	-
Professionals	no.	-	1 077	778	934	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	295	202	221	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	112	69	79	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	110	64	68	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	634	484	546	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	44	33	38	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	313	191	230	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	124	105	126	-
Not Stated	no.	-	589	345	417	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	3 859	2 595	2 979	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	248	263	155	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	27.5	38.5	18.5	-	-
Total income	$m	29.5	41.3	19.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	110 875	146 389	119 142	-	-
Average total income	$	118 821	157 110	126 624	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	109	102	65	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	6.1	6.6	4.5	-	-
Total income	$m	6.8	7.0	4.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	55 518	64 303	68 686	-	-
Average total income	$	62 591	68 492	71 500	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	357	365	220	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	33.5	45.1	22.9	-	-
Total income	$m	36.3	48.3	24.3	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	93 973	123 450	104 235	-	-
Average total income	$	101 652	132 346	110 337	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	8 679	8 616	8 025	7 902
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	2 394	2 700	3 048	3 222
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	2 514	2 733	2 994	2 979
Total businesses	no.	-	13 587	14 049	14 067	14 103
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	1 614	1 299	1 269
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	627	918	792
Total business entries	no.	-	-	2 241	2 217	2 061
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	1 608	2 019	1 347
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	129	246	630
Total business exits	no.	-	-	1 737	2 265	1 977
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	210	237	246	234
Mining	no.	-	93	93	108	108
Manufacturing	no.	-	438	405	402	390
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	33	39	42	39
Construction	no.	-	243	228	219	231
Wholesale trade	no.	-	414	435	456	438
Retail trade	no.	-	948	1 038	1 047	1 044
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	663	705	702	711
Transport and storage	no.	-	288	267	270	264
Communication services	no.	-	123	117	123	138
Finance and insurance	no.	-	3 348	3 447	3 336	3 294
Property and business services	no.	-	5 838	6 045	6 099	6 198
Education	no.	-	102	120	126	138
Health and community services	no.	-	453	471	465	471
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	216	210	201	201
Personal and other services	no.	-	177	192	225	204
Total businesses	no.	-	13 587	14 049	14 067	14 103

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	60	59	61	71	86
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	47	49	51	47	37
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	84	71	64	48	41
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	486	541	589	606	634
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 128	1 394	1 645	1 801	1 988
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	701	869	1 034	1 140	1 260
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	419	481	579	632	710
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	301	340	358	358	377
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	217	247	270	292	314
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	202	218	249	232	248
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	209	219	230	241	235
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	190	218	226	227	233
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	118	128	150	155	168
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	72	78	88	90	97
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	76	72	63	57	60
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	55	61	61	61	53
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	21	23	31	28	39
Males - 85 years and over	no.	15	19	16	16	14
Males - Total	no.	4 401	5 087	5 765	6 102	6 594
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	71	80	87	87	89
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	25	31	36	37	39
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	39	39	40	39	38
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	532	579	627	641	662
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 209	1 492	1 761	1 937	2 160
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	589	742	895	995	1 119
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	314	380	447	487	533
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	198	223	250	265	293
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	160	183	210	210	215
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	157	180	198	188	209
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	169	194	213	217	195
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	107	129	163	180	219
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	77	84	94	103	115
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	67	79	76	76	77
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	39	36	45	44	51
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	43	43	44	43	39
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	28	27	29	31	31
Females - 85 years and over	no.	7	13	16	16	21
Females - Total	no.	3 831	4 534	5 231	5 596	6 105
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	131	139	148	158	175
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	72	80	87	84	76
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	123	110	104	87	79
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 018	1 120	1 216	1 247	1 296
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	2 337	2 886	3 406	3 738	4 148
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 290	1 611	1 929	2 135	2 379
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	733	861	1 026	1 119	1 243
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	499	563	608	623	670
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	377	430	480	502	529
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	359	398	447	420	457
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	378	413	443	458	430
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	297	347	389	407	452
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	195	212	244	258	283
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	139	157	164	166	174
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	115	108	108	101	111
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	98	104	105	104	92
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	49	50	60	59	70
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	22	32	32	32	35
Persons - Total	no.	8 232	9 621	10 996	11 698	12 699
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	6 618.3
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	3.5
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	5.0
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	2.0
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	1.6
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	28.3
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	21.3
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	4.2
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	2.3
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	1.2

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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	69.4
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	56.6
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	6.6
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	23.4
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	7.6
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	5.1
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	24.5
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	69.0
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	15.2
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	36.1
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.1
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.7
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	13.6
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	10.1
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	4.7
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	2.3
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	2 101
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 058
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 838
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	4 993
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	174
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	27
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	1 101
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	80
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	44
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	417
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	1 843
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	4 983
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	2 699
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 372
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	2 879
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	15.6
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	4.4
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	2.5
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	4.7
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	67.8
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	13.4
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	1.3
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	82.5
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	40	36	51	48	70
Total fertility rate	rate	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.6
Deaths	no.	6	17	10	8	16

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Standardised death rate	rate	3.4	3.1	2.6	2.7	2.4
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,000 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December						
Males	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-
Females	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	1	0	0	0	1
Total dwelling units	no.	733	1 200	518	929	1
Value of total residential building	$m	76.4	193.6	52.1	200.4	3.8
Value of total non-residential building	$m	697.5	812.1	684.9	432.5	703.6
Value of total building	$m	773.9	1 005.6	737.0	633.0	707.5
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	4 077	5 082	2 558	2 620	2 486
Other vehicles	no.	997	1 096	802	834	961
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	5 074	6 178	3 360	3 454	3 447
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	15 818	14 910	8 161	8 008	8 422
Campervans	no.	13	16	10	8	8
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 817	1 615	873	1 020	1 257
Light rigid trucks	no.	88	93	43	57	74
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	305	352	193	200	223
Articulated trucks	no.	34	32	20	14	14
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	69	69	35	47	86
Buses	no.	263	309	178	175	218
Motorcycles	no.	519	876	484	270	285
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	18 925	18 271	9 996	9 800	10 587
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	1 922	1 550	742	685	663
Campervans	no.	2	2	1	1	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	221	168	79	87	99
Light rigid trucks	no.	11	10	4	5	6
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	37	37	18	17	18
Articulated trucks	no.	4	3	2	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	8	7	3	4	7
Buses	no.	32	32	16	15	17
Motorcycles	no.	63	91	44	23	22
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	2 299	1 899	909	838	834
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	634	581	308	288	231
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	16 858	16 106	8 744	8 444	8 677
Diesel	no.	1 094	1 175	673	807	1 317
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	339	410	270	262	363
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	150.9
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	4.9
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	4.9
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	62
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	1.9

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